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E.O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJECT: PETROLEUM CUTBACKS: KOREAN SALES TO U.S. MILITARY

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1. BLUE HOUSE SECRETARY GENERAL INFORMED AMBASSADOR THAT CALTEX (HONAM) AND UNION (KYONGIN) PERSONNEL HAD ADVISED SECOND SENIOR SECRETARY THAT ARABS, IF AWARE KOREAN REFINERIES ARE SELLING POL PRODUCTS TO U.S. MILITARY, WOULD CUT OFF CRUDE OIL SHIPMENTS TO KOREA. REFINERS SUGGESTED THAT SYSTEM BE SET UP WHEREBY ROK DEFENSE MINISTRY (MND) BECOMES PURCHASER OF RECORD. DEFENSE MINISTRY WOULD THEN MAKE CONFIDENTIAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR USFK TO RECEIVE THESE PRODUCTS WITH PAYMENTS AS AGREED.

2. EMBASSY IS DISCUSSING THIS WITH USFK AND WILL REPORT FURTHER.
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